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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is further to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004. Applicant wishes to present the following:

Restriction: Applicant wishes to restrict with traverse the claims to invention I under 37

C.F.R. 1.143.

Election;

Applicant wishes to elect species II.

Amendments to the Claims: are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks: begin on page 4 of this paper.